

# Montana State Legislature

**2015 SESSION**

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## **BUSINESS REPORT**

### **MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 64th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

#### **HOUSE BUSINESS AND LABOR COMMITTEE**

**Date:** Friday, March 13, 2015  
**Place:** Capitol

**Time:** 8:30 A.M.  
**Room:** 172

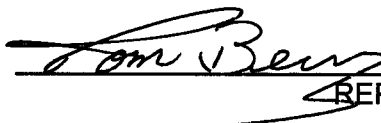
#### **BILLS and RESOLUTIONS HEARD:**

HJ 20 - Study resolution to address a Montana living wage - Rep. Mary Ann Dunwell  
SB 79 - Clarify fees charged in relation to licensing boards - Sen. Tom Facey  
SB 258 - Revise workers' compensation laws relating to religious employer definition  
          Sen. Brian Hoven  
SB 292 - Create a drug formulary for workers' compensation - Sen. Matthew Rosendale  
SB 351 - Prohibit compulsory union membership for a person under age 18 - Sen. Mark Blasdel

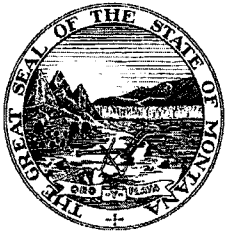
#### **EXECUTIVE ACTION TAKEN:**

HB 560	Do pass as amended
SB 22	Be concurred in
SB 79	Be concurred in
SB 152	Be concurred in
SB 280	Tabled
SB 281	Be concurred in

#### **Comments:**



REP. Tom Berry, Chair



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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
BUSINESS & LABOR COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL

DATE: March 13, 2015

NAME	PRESENT	ABSENT/EXCUSED
REP. TOM BERRY, CHAIRMAN		✓
REP. DANIEL SALOMON, VICE CHAIR	✓	
REP. RYAN LYNCH, VICE CHAIR	✓	
REP. CHRISTY CLARK	✓	
REP. WILLIS CURDY	✓	
REP. STEVE FITZPATRICK	✓	
REP. CHUCK HUNTER		✓
REP. GEORGE KIPP III	✓	
REP. MIKE LANG	✓	
REP. DAVID (DOC) MOORE	✓	
REP. MARK NOLAND	✓	
REP. ANDREA OLSEN	✓	
REP. GORDON PIERSON		✓
REP. CHRISTOPHER POPE	✓	
REP. VINCE RICCI	✓	
REP. TOM RICHMOND	✓	
REP. SCOTT STAFFANSON	✓	
REP. TOM STEENBERG	✓	
REP. JEFFREY WELBORN	✓	

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## HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Business and Labor** recommend that **Senate Bill 79** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in.**

Signed: *Tom Berry*  
Representative ~~Tom~~ Berry, Chair

To be carried by Representative Willis Curdy

- END -

**Committee Vote:**

**Yes 19, No 0**

Fiscal Note Required   X  

SB0079001SC16496.hbb

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*3/13/15*  
*18m*



## HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Business and Labor** recommend that **House Bill 560** (first reading copy -- white) **do pass as amended.**

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

*Tom Berry*  
Representative Tom Berry, Chair

**And, that such amendments read:**

1. Page 1, line 17.

**Following:** "15% of the"

**Insert:** "average of the"

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**Committee Vote:**

**Yes 19, No 0**

Fiscal Note Required  X

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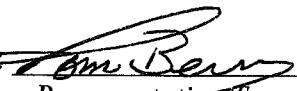
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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Business and Labor** recommend that **Senate Bill 22** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in.**

Signed:   
Representative Tom Berry, Chair

To be carried by Representative Ryan Lynch

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 19, No 0

Fiscal Note Required X

SB0022001SC15256.hbb

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3/13/15  
1pm



## HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Business and Labor** recommend that **Senate Bill 152** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in.**

Signed: *Tom Berry*  
Representative ~~Tom~~ Berry, Chair

To be carried by Representative Kelly Flynn

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**Committee Vote:**

**Yes 19, No 0**

Fiscal Note Required ☐

SB0152001SC12613.hbb

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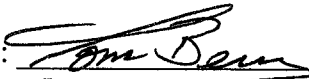
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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Business and Labor** recommend that **Senate Bill 281** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in.**

Signed:   
*Representative Tom Berry, Chair*

To be carried by Representative Steve Fitzpatrick

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**Committee Vote:**

**Yes 11, No 8**

Fiscal Note Required ☐

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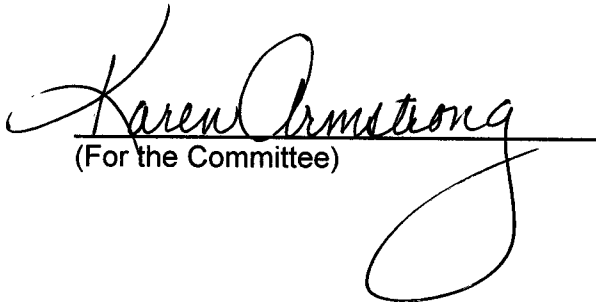
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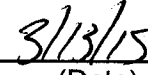
### HOUSE BUSINESS AND LABOR COMMITTEE

The HOUSE BUSINESS AND LABOR COMMITTEE TABLED

**SB 280 - Generally revise loan agreement statute of frauds laws - Sen. Frederick (Eric) Moore**

by motion, on **Friday, March 13, 2015** (PLEASE USE THIS ACTION DATE IN LAWS BILL STATUS).

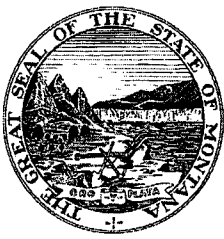
  
(For the Committee)

  
(For the Chief Clerk of the House)  
   
(Time) (Date)

March 13, 2015 (11:48am)

Karen Armstrong, Secretary

Phone: 4650



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# MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

## BUSINESS & LABOR COMMITTEE

### ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER SB 280

DATE March 2015

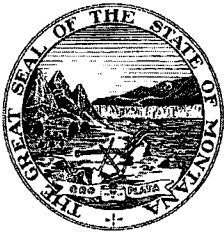
MOTION Be concurred in

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. DANIEL SALOMON, VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
REP. RYAN LYNCH, VICE CHAIRMAN		✓	
REP. CHRISTY CLARK	✓		
REP. WILLIS CURDY		✓	
REP. STEVE FITZPATRICK	✓		
REP. CHUCK HUNTER		✓	✓
REP. GEORGE KIPP III		✓	
REP. MIKE LANG	✓		
REP. DAVID (DOC) MOORE	✓		
REP. MARK NOLAND	✓		
REP. ANDREA OLSEN		✓	
REP. GORDON PIERSON		✓	
REP. CHRISTOPHER POPE		✓	
REP. VINCE RICCI	✓		
REP. TOM RICHMOND	✓		
REP. SCOTT STAFFANSON	✓		
REP. TOM STEENBERG		✓	
REP. JEFFREY WELBORN		✓	
REP. TOM BERRY, CHAIRMAN		✓	

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# MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

## BUSINESS & LABOR COMMITTEE

### ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER 281

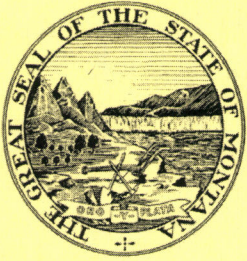
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MOTION Be concurred in

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REP. DANIEL SALOMON, VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
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REP. CHRISTY CLARK	✓		
REP. WILLIS CURDY		✓	
REP. STEVE FITZPATRICK	✓		
REP. CHUCK HUNTER		✓	✓
REP. GEORGE KIPP III		✓	
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REP. SCOTT STAFFANSON	✓		
REP. TOM STEENBERG		✓	
REP. JEFFREY WELBORN	✓		
REP. TOM BERRY, CHAIRMAN	✓		

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# MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

## AUTHORIZED COMMITTEE PROXY

I request to be excused from the Business & Labor

Committee because of other commitments. I desire to leave my proxy vote with:

Ryan Lynch

Indicate Bill number and your vote Aye or No. If there are amendments, list them by name and number under the bill and indicate a separate vote for each amendment.

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE

NO

HB 79	X	
HB 560001.APM	X	
HB 560 as amended	X	
SB 22	X	
SB 157	X	
SB 250		X
SB 251		X

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE

NO


Rep. Chuck Hunter  
(Signature)

Date 2-13-15

## MONTANA House of Representatives Visitors Register

**SB 258 - Revise workers' compensation laws relating to religious employer definition**

**Sponsor: Sen. Brian Hoven**

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**Please leave prepared testimony with Secretary. Witness Statement forms are available if you care to submit written testimony.**



# MONTANA House of Representatives Visitors Register

**Friday, March 13, 2015**

## SB 292 - Create a drug formulary for workers' compensation

Sponsor: **Sen. Matthew Rosendale**

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## MONTANA House of Representatives Visitors Register

## SB 79 - Clarify fees charged in relation to licensing boards

**Sponsor: Sen. Tom Facey**

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# MONTANA House of Representatives Visitors Register

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## HJ 20 - Study resolution to address a Montana living wage

Sponsor: **Rep. Mary Ann Dunwell**

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# MONTANA House of Representatives Visitors Register

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**SB 351 - Prohibit compulsory union membership for a person under age 18**

**Sponsor: Sen. Mark Blasdel**

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# ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS

SB 83 updates the process for consumers to ask their health insurance issuer to reconsider its decision to deny payment.

## Utilization Review

The criteria that forms the basis for denials, why an insurance company will or won't cover something, has to be on file with the Office of the Montana State Auditor

## Internal Review

Within 180 days after receiving notice by the issuer of adverse determination a covered person may request an internal review by the issuer.

## External Review

Within 4 months after receiving notice of right to external review, a covered person may file a request for external review by an independent source.

### Prospective Review

Review conducted prior to admission or a course of treatment

Issuer must notify covered person 15 days after receiving request for review. Issuer may extend once for 15 days.

Expedited: Issuer must make a determination within 72 hours to approve a course of treatment.

Issuer must provide a decision no later than 30 days after the date the request was received.

Expedited: Issuer must make a decision within 72 hours of request.

- Standard External Review:
- Within 5 days of receiving the request, the issuer must perform a preliminary review and notify the insured
  - Within one day of the initial determination, issuer must assign case to IRO
  - Within 5-10 days of assigning IRO consumer and issuer can submit additional information
  - Within 45 days IRO must make determination

### Concurrent Review

Review during a patient's stay or course of treatment in a health care setting

Issuer must notify the covered person sufficiently in advance to allow the person to file a grievance.

Expedited: Issuer must make a determination within 24 hours to extend a course of treatment.

Issuer must provide a decision no later than 30 days after the date the request was received.

Expedited: Issuer must make a decision within 72 hours of request.

#### Expedited External Review:

- Same process as standard but all timelines are "immediately" and all information must be transmitted by the most expeditious method.
- A decision must be made by the IRO no later than 72 hours after receiving the request.

### Retrospective Review

Review of medical necessity after services have been provided to a patient

Issuer must make a decision no later than 30 days after receiving benefit request. Issuer may extend once by 15 days.

Expedited: Issuer must make a determination within 24 hours to extend a course of treatment beyond that initially authorized.

Issuer must provide a decision no later than 60 days after the date the request was received.

Expedited: Issuer must make a decision within 72 hours of request.

#### Experimental or Investigational Treatment:

- Within one business day of receiving request, the IRO must assign the review to qualified clinical reviewers.
- Within 20 days of being assigned each clinical reviewer shall provide an opinion to the IRO.
- Within 20 days of receiving the opinion of the clinical reviewer, IRO shall make a decision.